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Examiner: Daniel P. Stephenson
Art Unit: 3672
Attorney Docket No.: 1301-1152

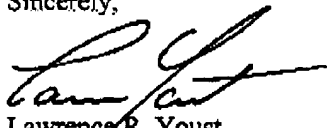
Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing please find the following items (30 pages) relating to the above-identified application:

- (1) Response Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 (28 pages);
- (2) Terminal Disclaimer (1 page); and
- (3) Form PTO-2038 authorizing payment in the amount of \$164.00 (1 page).

If you have any questions or comments concerning this matter, please call the undersigned at your earliest convenience. Otherwise, please accept the enclosed.

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Response Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated July 29, 2004 due for reply by October 29, 2004. In view of the following remarks, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the claims pending in this application are respectfully requested.

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